

The Orchid Enthusiast

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Editor's Note:

Contributions to the Orchid Enthusiast by members of the CNYOS are welcome. Articles, pictures, or ideas for discussion subjects should be submitted by the first week of the month before the next meeting to: egalson756@gmail.com

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It's time to renew your membership!
Individuals \$20
Family \$22

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Next Meeting: Sunday November 6. Our Speaker will be Krum Satirov. His Topic is not Finalized at this Time, but he is Always an Interesting and Informative Speaker.

DON'T FORGET THAT SUNDAY NOVEMBER 6ST IS THE END OF DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME. SET YOUR CLOCK 1 HOUR BACK THAT DAY.

September Show Table

David Ditz :

Pleurothallis rubella - Lights
Camaridium praestans - Greenhouse
now Maxillaria praestans
Polystachya paniculata - Greenhouse

Honey Goshorn :

Miltassia Shelob 'Red Spider' -Outside
now Bratonia Shelob 'Red Spider'
(Bratonia Olmec x Brassia Edvah Loo)

Krum Sotirov :

Dendrobium moniliforme 'Shikinjyo'
Dendrobium trantuanii
Restrepia brachypus
Ascochilus siamensis
now Grosourdyia emarginata

Eva Galson :

Cpra. Sidney Smith 'Green Monkey' - Lights
now Oncidesa Sydney Smith 'Green Monkey'
(Oncidesa New Dimension x Oncidium hastilabium)
Oncidium Sharry Baby - Lights
(Oncidium Jamie Sutton x Oncidium Honolulu)

Jack and Deb Hasse :

[Phal. violacea (var. Malaysia x var. Borneo) x sib]
(Phal. violacea var. Borneo x var. Borneo 'Pacific Isle')
Dendrobium kingianum 'Pinky'
the judges at the show moved this plant to the

hybrid class. I assume they did not consider this to be a species plant.

Lc. Pink Favorite 'Hawaii'

now is Cattleya Pink Favourite 'Hawaii'

(Cattleya milleri x Cattleya walkeriana)

Masdevallia Fire Queen

(Masd. Southern Sun x Masd. Monarch)

Masdevallia Huayna Picchu

(Masd. veitchiana x Masd. princeps)

Masdevallia Redwing 'Volcano Queen' HCC/AOS

(Masd. infracta x Masd. coccinea)

Name changes are in **bold**. Please make note and change your plant labels.

Sue Finger

2016 Orchid Show and Sale, CNYOS Exhibit Photo by Jan Woodworth



CNYOS Exhibit

Best Orchid Society Exhibit

AOS Exhibit Trophy

CNYOS Ribbon and Award Winners

Class	Place	Pl.#	Plant Name	Alliance Award Winners
<i>David Ditz</i>				
33	1	531	Cattlianthe Chocolate Flirt	Best of Cattleya Alliance, Margery & Fred Ummer Memorial Award
41	3	520	Paph. barbigerum	
49	2	524	Paph. Doll's Kobolt	
49	2	293	Paph. Wossner Helene	
54	1	523	Paph Woessner Helen	
54	3	525	Paph. Doll's Kobolt	
60	2	527	Echn. rothschildiana	
107	2	529	Onesa. Nanboh Waltz	
108	3	530	Onesa Neenboh Waltz	
130	3	533	Den. lamellatum	
134	3	534	Den. lamellantum	
152	3	508	Pths. Rubella	
157	1	526	V. falcata 'GojoFukurin'	
158	3	532	Pol. Paniculata	
163	1	518	Lys. Red Jewel	

Donna Coleman

44	1	485	Paph. Angry Bird	
44	2	486	Paph French Jewel	
63	1	599	Gastrochilus retrocallus	
70	2	491	Phal. hieroglyphica	
77	1	243	Phal Kenneth Schubert	
103	1	488	Ons. Wildcat	
106	2	598	Gom crispa	Under Lights Award
130	2	487	Den. polyanthum	
131	3	600	Den. Little Green Apples	
131	3	490	Den. Enobi Purple	
131	3	489	Den.	
134	2	495	Den. polyanthum	
157	2	492	Mac petola	
157	3	493	Dsh. Aurora	

Jerry and Sue Finger

62	3	503	V. Pakchong Blue	
62	3	501	V. Moonlight Firefly	
152	1	498	Pths. Sp.	Best Pleurothallid, Cliff Rossler Award
152	3	510	Rstp. brachypus	
152	3	508	Pls. reflexa	
157	2	497	Lus. Discolor	
			Brs. Rex 'Sakata' AM/AOS	Best Amateur Plant Grown Under Lights

Class	Place	Pl.#	Plant Name	Alliance & Other Award Winners
<i>Lori Burritt</i>				
32	1	536	C. Caudabee Candy	Best Amateur Plant in Cattleya Alliance Marge & Fred Ummer Awar
32	2	537	Ctt.Mary Eleth Bohn 'Royal Flare AM/AOS	
71	1	538	Phal. Sogo Yukidian	Best Phal

Jack & Deb Hasse

32	3	613	C. Irene Finey	
70	3	614	Phal. violacea var Borneo	
131	2	609	Den. kingianum	
151	1	612	Masd. Huayna Picchu	
151	2	610	Masd. Redwing 'Vucano Queen' HCC/AOS	
158	2	608	Ddc. cootesii	

Jan Woodworth

62	2	513	V. Twinkle	
63	2	514	V. Twinkle	
76	3	517	Phal. I-Hsin ice Coke	

Nancy Loveland

103	2	636	lcra. Tahoma Glacier	
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Lori Hoffman

158	2	604	Ddc. glumaceum	
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Lori Hoffman – Photographs

191	1	602	Red Den	Best Photo
191	2	601	Yellow/Pink Den.	
191	3	603	Orange Vanda	

Charles Ufford

Best Educational Exhibit

Treasurer's Report

Assets as of 9/11/16	
Cash Account	115.00
Key Bank	<u>4725.27</u>
Total	4840.27

Summary Report 1/1/16-9/11/16	
Inflows	1795.50
Outflows	<u>1014.43</u>
Net Inflows/Outflows	781.07

Events Calendar

November	6	CNYOS Meeting – Speaker Krum Satirov
December	4	CNYOS Holiday Covered Dish Party
January	8	CNYOS Member Auction – Talk by Glen Decker of Piping Rock Orchids
February	5	CNYOS Meeting –Jim Marlow will speak
March	5	CNYOS Meeting – Mounting Clinic
April	2 ?	Trip to Rochester for GROS
May	7	CNYOS Meeting – Vendor Auction

Symbolism of Orchids

[Orchids](#) are ancient flowers that have been enjoyed by many civilizations throughout history. Their significance has varied from culture to culture. Everywhere they've been grown, however, orchids' meanings have reflected their natural elegance and delicacy. Here's a look at how they've been viewed in ancient cultures, along with an overview of their significance today.

Ancient Greece and China: A Symbol of Vitality and Fertility

In both Ancient Greece and China, the orchid was seen as a symbol of vitality and fertility. The Chinese would give it as [a gift](#) that suggested many children, which was viewed as a blessing in ancient times. (The Chinese also saw the orchid as a sign of innocence and refinement, although these were less prevalent than fertility.)

The Greeks had a slightly more elaborate method of using an orchid. They believed that if an unborn child's father ate large (young) orchid tubers, then the child would be a boy. Alternatively, if the mother of the unborn child ate little tubers, the child was expected to be a girl.

Medieval Japan: A Trophy of Warriors

In Pre-Industrial Japan, Samurai would search for a specific type of orchid: *Neofinetia falcata*. Native to Japan, this orchid is rare -- especially in the wild. Prized for its foliage and fragrance, this orchid was more sought-after than most by Japan's royalty. To please the nobles whom they served, Samurais would go on grand journeys in search of a *Neofinetia falcata*. If a Samurai found one and successfully brought it back, it'd be presented as a trophy of the warrior's quest, a sign of his bravery.

Victorian England: A Sign of Luxury and Wealth

Orchids didn't reach England until the Victorian era, and even then they were rare. They weren't native to England, and transporting them across oceans was tenuous. Their delicacy made them uncommon, which only heightened interest in them.

They quickly became the flower of choice among gentry, not just because they were beautiful but also because they showed off one's wealth. To own an Orchid in Victorian England was to indulge in luxury, something commoners could little afford to do

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